

THE SIERRA MADRE NEWS

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TRUSTEES HOLD BUSY SESSION

HOUSE NUMBERS ORDERED

Mrs. Amelia Jensen Appointed to Position of Municipal Nurse Beginning October 1

The long expected house numbering ordinance was passed at last evening's meeting of the city trustees and Mrs. Amelia Jensen was appointed to the position of municipal nurse, her term to begin October 1. Besides these two important and very excellent acts the board transacted a considerable amount of routine business, this being the first meeting attended by the entire board in several months. Chairman Jones presided after an absence of several weeks.

The house numbering ordinance merely provides for putting into effect the official numbering map prepared by J. D. Mackerras and officially adopted some time since. The placing of numbers upon houses is made mandatory upon property owners within a period of 90 days, with a penalty attached for non-performance. The official numbers can be learned from the city clerk who will furnish the information without charging a fee as is done in some other cities. Metallic numbers can be purchased for a small sum, so there is really no excuse for any house being without a number.

The appointment of a municipal nurse without delay has been urged repeatedly upon the board of late. The opening of school and the annual influx of visitors about this season make it a matter of vital importance. It is doubtful if the board could possibly have made a better selection than Mrs. Jensen for this work and her appointment will meet with very general approval. She has had wide experience and training as a nurse and is a woman of mature judgment.

Several plans for culverts were submitted by City Engineer Bixby for approval by the board. They were made a part of the official records of the engineer's office. Current bills were audited and ordered paid—provided the holders of warrants can get something out of nothing, which seems to describe the condition of the city treasury.

MOUNTAIN STREAMS LOW

Unless there is a rain in the very near future there will be little joy for campers in the mountains this fall. The prospect for next season's fishing in the West Fork and other trout streams is already exceedingly dark. The smaller streams are reported to be entirely dried up. In places the bed of the West Fork is said to be entirely dry, though there is an underground flow which appears in places on the surface. Fish have been dying off rapidly, those which reached the larger pools or the lower river being the only survivors.

October usually offers one the most attractive seasons of the year for a camping trip. The approach of the end of the deer season usually brings out numbers of hunters. It would be too bad if one of the best outdoor months of the year is to be spoiled for lack of water. The past few seasons have seen such abundant rainfall that mountain climbers have become accustomed to finding water in almost every little canyon, making it possible to pitch camp almost anywhere without the necessity of packing water any distance.

NEW TELEPHONE DIRECTORY

The regular quarterly issue of the new directory of the Sierra Madre Telephone and Telegraph Company will be out about October 1. Work has already been begun on it and will be pushed along as rapidly as possible. To save time and make sure of getting space merchants and others wishing to carry advertisements should call up the News office at once and make reservations. Old advertisers will be given first choice of their previous positions but these can be held open for them but a limited time. Prompt telephoning to this office for reservations will prevent misunderstandings and greatly accelerate the issuance of the directory.

DEATH OF MRS. JOHN BRANDT

Miss M. C. Brandt has received the sad news of the death of her sister-in-law, the wife of John Brandt, formerly residing in Sierra Madre. The end came at a Minneapolis hospital. The family had resided in Sierra Madre about a year and a half, returning to their home in Stillwater, Minnesota, about four months ago. Three children, Raymond, Albert and Dorris, are left to mourn with their father. Mrs. Brandt had many friends in Sierra Madre who will learn with sincere regret of her untimely loss.

Upon leaving Sierra Madre Mr. Brandt sold his home here, but he still retains a small ranch near Arcadia. It is possible he will return to Southern California to reside.

STURTEVANT FAMILY'S ROMANCE

One of the most interesting chapters from the life of the late Wilbur M. Sturtevant, whose death was reported in last week's News, was omitted from that account. Attention has been called to it by W. F. Bixby and it will doubtless be remembered by others among the older residents of Sierra Madre.

It will be recalled that after the Civil War Mr. Sturtevant went west and engaged in prospecting and mining ventures in Colorado. For a time regular correspondence was kept up between him and his family who remained in the east. But the letters finally ceased. Sturtevant continued awhile to write to the old address after the letters from home had ceased to reach him, but at last gave up trying to communicate with his family, supposing they were dead or had removed without notifying him.

The experience of his family was identical. After writing a number of times without receiving a reply they gave him up for dead.

In the course of time Mr. Sturtevant continued his travels in Southern California, locating first at Pasadena, and building the Sturtevant trail and camp. By some strange chance the attention of his family was directed to the name of the trail and camp, though they had no information as to the source of the name. Acting on the possibility that it might be the lost husband and father who had given the name a letter of inquiry was directed to Sierra Madre, with a resulting happy reunion. The family later came to Sierra Madre to join Mr. Sturtevant and resided here for a number of years.

It appeared that a partner of Mr. Sturtevant was responsible for the break in communications. For some reason he intercepted and destroyed Mr. Sturtevant's mail, both incoming and outgoing. The near approach to tragedy which resulted and the subsequent reunion is one of the things which makes truth appear often stranger than fiction.

THE CURING OF LEMONS

Replying to a reader's query as to methods of curing lemons, the California Cultivator says:

"We have seen lemons picked from the trees, covered with wet sand and left for months. They came out yellowed, velvety and perfect fruit. One orchardist in Los Angeles county thought at one time that he had made a great discovery and treated many loads of them by this process. Such handling is altogether too expensive, however. The usual method is to pile in tiers eight boxes high close together but with small alleyway between rows for circulation of air. The circulation of air is then controlled by tents or tarpaulins thrown over the fruit. During the sweat enough air must be admitted to keep down excess of moisture. To judge this is a matter of experience. Lemon houses are also built to provide a uniform temperature; the curing has been determined to be not so much a question of temperature as of moisture. If the moisture evaporates too rapidly a wilted and comparatively worthless lemon results.

"To cure lemons from a few trees or for household use we have seen boxes stacked under shed and covered closely with newspapers to prevent evaporation, the newspapers being raised occasionally to ascertain amount of moisture. The curing is sometimes hastened by placing in close rooms and subjecting to moist heat, keeping the temperature at 95 degrees. This will cure them within a few days, while the other method in a cool season may take several weeks."

Another method of curing and keeping lemons for household use is to wrap each lemon separately in a piece of newspaper. Pack them in boxes and store in a cool, dry place. Always be careful to preserve the skin without abrasion or piercing, as the slightest break furnishes an opening for the blue mould which is the chief agency in the destruction of the fruit. A perfectly sound skin will prevent this decay.

OCCASIONAL NOTES

By a Special Contributor

It is to be hoped that the city marshal has read, marked and inwardly digested the account of the work of a spent bullet in a moving picture show in Los Angeles on Monday last. The surgeon who made the autopsy stated that the spent bullet which passed through the heart of a man sitting in a picture show on Central avenue might have travelled a distance of two miles before accomplishing its fatal work.

Many of the older residents in Sierra Madre could relate strange experiences of narrow escapes from stray bullets fired from the rifles of irresponsible boys. Boys with firearms of one kind or another are still far from unknown within the city limits. If the street signs at too many of our streets could speak they could tell a tale of bullets that were not spent, but deliberately and mischievously aimed to do harm.

Perhaps when the Boy Scout movement has reached Sierra Madre the unlicked cubs who now perpetrate such barbarities will develop into the protectors and conservators of public property. Hasten the day!

ONLOOKER.

Good morning, is your house numbered yet?

EXAMINATION FOR RANGERS

Aspiring Foresters Will Have a Chance Next Month

The Civil Service Commission will hold an examination for Assistant Forest Ranger October 24 and 25, 1910, at all forest headquarters in district 5, which comprises the state of California and western Nevada. In Southern California the examinations will be held at Santa Barbara, Los Angeles and San Diego, and the best opportunity will be given to local men, who are naturally best acquainted with the forests on which they seek employment. The examination will be along the same general lines as heretofore, and will consist of questions regarding the use of the forest, supplemented by a field test to show the applicant's fitness to perform the actual work of a ranger.

The age limit for this examination is 21 to 40 years. This position requires thoroughly sound and able-bodied men, capable of enduring hardships and of performing severe labor under trying conditions; he must be able to build trails and cabins, ride, pack and deal tactfully with all classes of people. He must know something of land surveying, estimating and scaling timber, logging, land laws, mining and the live-stock business. The eligibles appointed from this examination will receive a salary of \$1100 per annum.

Application should be made to the Civil Service Commission at Washington, D. C., for the necessary blanks and further information.

POISON KILLS "JUDGE"

"Judge," Charles J. Fox's handsome Boston terrier, for which \$500 had been offered and which was valued at twice that sum by its owner, is dead as the result of poisoning. "Judge" was winner in the open class at the recent dog show at the Hotel Maryland.

This was not a case of intentional dog poisoning, but of accident pure and simple. Mr. Fox was spending the week-end at a mountain resort and his dog was with him. The animal became a great favorite with everyone and was allowed the freedom of the camp. Poison had been put out to kill the ground mice infesting the camp and the dog got some of this.

When the dog was noticed to be sick it was thought he had been bitten by a rattlesnake. "Judge" was treated for such a bite but died before it was understood that it was strychnine poisoning—Pasadena Star.

Miss Annis B. Coffey entertained very charmingly on Thursday with an afternoon tea in honor of Mrs. Anne Taphouse. A very cleverly planned guessing contest furnished a diversion during the afternoon. The guests included Mes. Taphouse, Humphries, Lambert, J. C. Pegler, C. J. Pegler, F. R. Yerxa, Vannier, Hawxhurst, Harry Hawxhurst, J. H. Wright, Cornell, Amelia Churchill, Hawks, Blumer, Ferry, Prime, Stevenson of Lamanda Park, H. M. Russell and Titian Coffey of Los Angeles; Misses Humphries, Hilda Humphries, Jennie Lambert, Daisy Hawks, Florence Vannier, Lydia Webster, Nichols, O'Brien, Blumer, Edith Blumer, DePencier.

Harry Staples of Oxnard spent Wednesday in Sierra Madre, visiting at the home of his mother, Mrs. A. M. Staples.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK

SIERRA MADRE - CALIFORNIA

Comparative Statement of Deposits

Sept. 12, '07	\$25,806.41
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" 13, '10	95,009.12

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AT THE THEATERS

Burbank

George Du Maurier's great story, "Trilby," will be presented to the Burbank audiences next week in dramatized form, with Miss Marjorie Rambeau in the title part, and A. Byron Beasley as the arch-monster, Svengali. Miss Rambeau has been enjoying a rest this week after her strenuous labors in "Salvation Nell," and in "Trilby," will have a part admirably fitted to her talents. Beasley, as Svengali, will have one of the greatest opportunities for powerful acting he has ever had in Los Angeles. His art never has displayed the maturity that he has evinced in the past few weeks, and this should prove the climax of his achievements.

In addition to the principal characters, there is a great brotherhood of interesting people in this play. The Laird, Taffy, Zu-Zu and all the men and women of the wonderful community represented in the student life of Paris are depicted most cleverly. Although the main story is very serious, the by-plots are rich in comedy, and the entire force of the Burbank company will be required to present this drama of art, love and hypnotism.

Belasco

Lewis S. Stone and his associates of the Belasco theater company will next week offer Clyde Fitch's comedy success, "Girls." This will be the first production of the play by any stock company, and the presentation is made by special arrangement with the Messrs. Shubert.

"Girls" is a happily conceived and expertly told story of a trio of young girls who form a we-will-never-marry club. These man-haters have their habitat in an apartment house and not even the janitor is permitted to invade the spot. However, one night a young man in an endeavor to extricate himself from a peculiarly trying and exciting situation, rushes into the room occupied by the girls and from that point on, the young women commence to look upon man as a different sort of an animal.

Lewis S. Stone will be seen as Edgar Holt the hero of the play and the part will afford the head of the Belasco company some fine chances for the very sort of stage work his admirers like to see him do. The three girls will be played by Eva Kelly, Helen Sullivan and Emma Lowry.

Following the Fitch comedy the Belasco company will offer George M. Cohan's musical play, "Fifty Miles from Boston." The Tuesday night performance has been secured by the local mail carriers as the fifth of the series of benefits for their Los Angeles Convention fund. The Wednesday and Thursday performances of the Cohan play have been taken for the entertainment of the delegates to the American Bankers' Association Convention and their friends.

FIRST CARD PARTY OF SEASON

The first card party of the Woman's Club will be held at the club house on Friday evening, September 30, admission 35 cents. Besides a juvenile table there will also be set apart tables for the different games desired to be played.

These card parties were well patronized during the past year and afforded great pleasure to those who attended. A good season's schedule is being outlined for this year. Refreshments will be served during the evening, with a social hour after the games.

Piano lessons given. For information call 377 N. Lima or telephone black 45, Fridays and Saturdays. 51*

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A young man returned to the country village where he was born, after having successfully worked his way up by direct primary ballot to a nomination for a State office. "I suppose the people here, Thomas, have heard of the honor that has been conferred on me?" he inquired of one of his old friends. "Yes, they have," was the gratifying reply. "And what," said the man of fame, eagerly; "what do they say about it, Thomas?" "They don't say anything," replied Thomas. "They don't say anything," "they just laugh."

A patient in a lunatic asylum imagined himself dead. Nothing could drive this delusion out of the man's brain; but one day his physician had a happy thought, and said to him: "Did you ever see a dead man bleed?" "No." "Well, if you will permit me, I will try an ex-

periment with you, and see if you bleed or not." The patient gave his consent; the doctor whipped out his scalpel, and drew a little blood. "There," said he, "you see that you bleed; that proves that you're not dead." "Not at all," the patient instantly replied; "that only proves that dead men can bleed."—Exchange.

Howell—I see that the paper says that the Treasury Department announces that by washing paper money it will last twice as long. Powell—Yes, but what is a poor devil to do while his money is in the laundry.—New York Press.

"I like to go to church." "Why?" "Well, it's comforting to see one man keep so many women quiet for an hour."—The Widow.

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Brief Items of Interest

Mrs. Walter Ingraham spent a few days at Catalina this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Adams spent a few days at Redondo Beach this week.

Mrs. F. J. Garey and Mrs. Jerome Rice spent a few days at Catalina this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Rice are at the Twycross cottage at Ocean Park this week.

Miss Gertrude Kellogg returned this week from a three months' visit in Seattle.

Philip Carter and Preston W. Schwartz spent two days hunting doves at Clearwater this week.

Mrs. Mary Davis Goodfellow was the guest of Mrs. C. H. Meredith of Los Angeles this week.

Miss Alice Whitaker of Santa Monica was the guest of Miss Dorothy Humphries on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Lee, who have spent the summer in Minneapolis, returned to Sierra Madre last week.

Miss Myrtle Stange and two visiting guests of Los Angeles spent Wednesday in Sierra Madre with Miss Gertrude Cook.

Mrs. Alice Montgomery has rented through Twycross the bungalow belonging to Mrs. Kilbourne on Auburn Avenue near Grand View.

Mrs. Robert Wherry and the children spent a few days in Sierra Madre putting their home in readiness for their return from Santa Monica where they have spent the summer. Mr. Wherry is much improved in health.

Will Dennison suffered a sudden and serious attack of illness while on the wagon last Friday and was confined to his bed for several days as a result. He has been able to resume work at the Postoffice grocery this week.

Miss Jessie Climie and Miss Gertrude Cook resume their teaching duties in the Pasadena schools next Monday. Miss Climie is instructor in French in the high school, while Miss Cook teaches the primary grade in the Lamanda Park school.

The dance given by the Woman's Club last Friday evening was a most enjoyable affair. Being the first dance of the season, with many still away from town, the attendance was not up to the usual mark. However, those present enjoyed the evening immensely.

About a dozen young people enjoyed a moonlight picnic at the Quarter Way house in the Little Santa Anita Tuesday evening. Another crowd went to the Big Santa Anita on a similar mission Wednesday evening. The perfect evenings contributed much to the enjoyment of the events.

Dr. James M. Campbell of the First Congregational church went with Fred M. Willcox of Sierra Madre Villa in the latter's auto to Claremont Monday evening to attend the celebration of the tenth anniversary of the pastorate of Dr. Henry Kingman of the Congregational church of that place.

Some quirk of the linotype last week made the News say that Mrs. Holland had attended a picnic given by the ladies of Temple Baptist Church in Los Angeles on Sunday. The statement was so evidently incorrect as hardly to need correction. But to make sure it may be said that the ladies held their picnic on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. McKee of Highland Park will be in charge of the Christian Endeavor service at the Congregational church next Sunday evening. It will be a union service, taking the place of the regular evening preaching service which will not be resumed until October. Mr. and Mrs. McKee, who were recently married, will sail about the first of November for China where they will engage in missionary work.

H. C. Churchill has returned from an extended trip through the east.

Mrs. S. C. Davis and Miss Ann Dingle spent a few days at Catalina this week.

Mr. Walter Stanley of London, England, is spending a week in Sierra Madre.

Miss Mabel DePencier has returned from a three weeks visit to Santa Barbara.

Mr. Cousins of San Francisco was a dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Lawless this week.

Mrs. Harkness and daughter of Washington, D. C., spent a few days in Sierra Madre this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Evan Miller of Elsinore spent Tuesday in Sierra Madre as the guests of friends.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. McKee of Highland Park were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Mead Wednesday.

Mrs. Lydia Anderson was in Sierra Madre yesterday looking after business interests and visiting friends.

Miss Lillian Comstock, who has spent several weeks with Miss Annis B. Coffey is now on her way to her home in Peoria, Illinois.

The News force are indebted to George Bourke for some exceedingly fine muscat grapes brought to the office last week. The grapes were unusual in size and of fine flavor.

Church of the Ascension, the Rev. Dr. George H. Cornell, Rector. Eighteenth Sunday after Trinity. Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.; morning prayer and sermon, 11 a. m. All are cordially invited.

C. W. Jones returned home Monday after spending several weeks in the east where he was called by the death of his father. On the homeward trip he visited the northwest, passing through Yellowstone park.

Mrs. L. E. Steinberger is at Santa Monica this week with her two sons, Robert and Guy, for the purpose of placing them in school. Miss Elizabeth Steinberger resumes her work as teacher in the public schools of that place.

Town Topics.

When his sister discovered young Thos. Arrayed in his parent's pajamas,

And cried in dismay:
"Oh, what will father say?"
He replied: "Not a word. These are mos." —Puck.

Mr. Peck—I tell you I'm nobody's fool! Mrs. Peck—What's that? Mr. Peck—Except yours, my love—only yours.—Zion's Advocate.

"What is the name of your new novel?" "The Dungeon." Good, gloomy title, eh?" "Yes. That name alone ought to get the book among the six best sellers."—Milwaukee Sentinel.

"Her husband is a brute." "How now?" "When she asked him how long she could remain at the Thousand Islands he told her to spend a week on each island."—Pittsburg Post.

"I suppose," said the mere citizen, "that electioneering has a great deal to do with the success of a political campaign, doesn't it?" "Oh, yes," replied the gang boss, "but collectioneering has more to do with it."—Chicago News.

"I want you to take care of my practice while I'm away." "But, doctor, I have just graduated. Have had little experience." "You don't need it with my fashionable patients. Find out what they have been eating and stop it. Find out where they have been summering and send 'em somewhere else."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

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BY THE WAY

It is always "open season" for knockers, especially the kind who knock their home town. And there ought to be a bounty on scalp.

Maybe you have been forgetting awhile the good points of your home town. If so, sit right down and begin to reckon them up in order. The season is at hand when you should have them all at your tongue's end.

Both parties have declared for a non-partisan judiciary. There is no more dispute as to the advisability of that. Every voter will do well, in view of the fact, to consider carefully the judicial candidates of all parties at the coming election and cast his vote accordingly. That would not be a breach of party faith on the part of the most hide bound partisan.

As soon as the city attorney gets the left lamp on the front of his auto repaired so it will burn the News is going to suggest again that an ordinance be drawn up requiring that all autos and motorcycles be required to carry lighted lamps after dark. The need for such an ordinance is pressing and in evidence every night. But it would be a sad dilemma for our municipal legal light to be compelled to prosecute himself for lack of an auto light.

It is refreshing to meet a man who honestly and frankly believes in his work—not the kind with a horizon so limited that his conversational ability is limited to "talking shop," but a man who is doing something worth while and knows it. May the Lord have pity on the man whose sole remuneration for work is his pay check. No amount of compensation is equivalent to the satisfaction derived from doing well work which is useful and permits one to cherish some ideals.

So Roosevelt has been stirring up the mob spirit and making the people "see red" by means of his recent speeches. Well, those were pretty classy mobs which yelled themselves hoarse in Minnesota, Iowa and Kansas! It is likely those audiences, composed mostly of farmers and small business men, averaged as high in intelligence, sturdiness and stability as any similar gatherings which could be found in America. That there was no uncertainty in their response to the virile appeals for a higher type of citizens and office holders is the real cause of the worry of those who have so long fed at the public trough and promoted private interests at public expense.

Good roads? Of course we believe in them. That is why Los Angeles county voted three and a half millions in bonds for the purpose. But most of us would like to see some results from the ex-

penditure before voting for that \$18,000,000 state bond issue for the same purpose. Most of the other southern counties have bonded themselves to improve the roads within their borders. Let the northern counties do the same. If each county will take care of its own roads the problem will be solved. Perhaps it will be in order for the state to look after roads in the desert and mountain counties with small assessed valuations after the richer counties have done their own work with their own money.

"Where there is no vision the people perish." That is just as true now as it was in the days of King Solomon. Some men of vision beyond the average have not the power to make others see likewise. Other men have both the vision and the power of expression in such a degree that the masses of the people turn to them for leadership. It has been so since the world began, a sort of racial instinct of self preservation. It may not be a pleasing thought to some who are not given to idealizing in politics, but the thought is rather suggestive of the manner in which the people are turning for light and leadership to the Roosevelts, the Pinchots and the Johnsons.

KIPLING WITH A HEADACHE

Anent the long deferred benefits of consolidation with Los Angeles the Wilmington Journal sings thus:

When earth's last Summer is ended, and
Autumn is off of the list;
When Winter no longer is heard of, and
Springtime forever is missed;
When highways no longer are needed,
because commerce is moved o'er
the trees,
Wilmington still will be waiting and
praying on bended knees.

Praying that promises given, in return
for her harbor site

Be remembered and kept by a city that
promised to do what was right;

Praying for streets and for ferries, for
wharves and for deep water, too;

Praying, and praying, and praying:
"Lord, any old thing will do!"

During the recent conclave of Knights Templar in Chicago the hospitable and willingly helpful residents of the Illinois city wore a button inscribed: "Ask Me, I Live Here." Unfortunately, it is reported, the question most commonly provoked this signal of kindness was: "Why?"

SHERIFF'S SALE

No. 74970

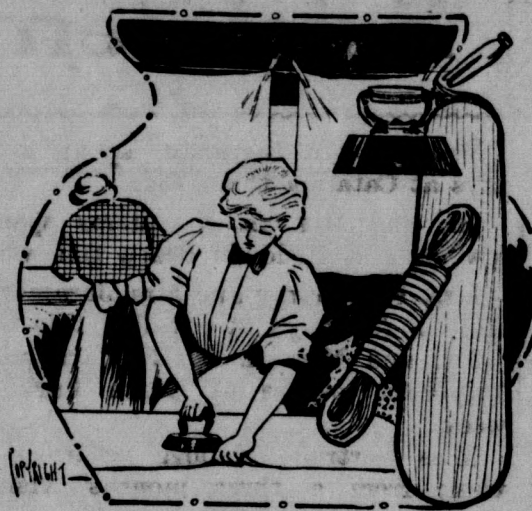
Notice of Sale of Real Estate Under Execution

Martha Jean McNally, plaintiff, vs. P. J. McNally, defendant.

By virtue of an execution issued out of the Superior Court of the County of Los Angeles, State of California, wherein Martha Jean McNally, plaintiff, and P. J. McNally, defendant, upon a judgment rendered the 5th day of August, A. D. 1910, for the sum of One thousand six hundred five and 45/100 (\$1605.45) Dollars, lawful money of the United States, besides costs and interest, I have levied upon all the right, title, claim, and interest of said defendant P. J. McNally of, in and to the following described real estate, situate in the County of Los Angeles, State of California, and bounded and described as follows:

Lots One (1), 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14 and 15 of the McNally Tract, in Altadena, in the County of Los Angeles, State of California, as per map recorded in Book 6, page 57 of Maps, in the office of the County Recorder of said county.

Lots 13, 14, 15, Washington Square Tract, in Pasadena, in Los Angeles



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NOTICE TO PAY TAXES

Notice is hereby given that taxes levied by and for the City of Sierra Madre, California, for the year 1910, are now due and payable.

Taxes will become delinquent at 6 o'clock p. m., on the first Monday in November, 1910, and unless paid prior thereto five per cent will be added to the amount thereof.

Payment of taxes may be made at the First National Bank, in the Kersting Building, on Central Avenue, in the City of Sierra Madre, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 3 p. m., except Saturdays, when the hours will be from 9 a. m. to 12 m.

GEORGE C. RAY,
City Tax Collector.
Sierra Madre, Cal., Sept. 15, 1910.

County, as per map recorded in Book 9, page 50 of Maps, Records of Los Angeles County.

Public Notice is hereby given that I will, on Tuesday, the 27th day of September, A. D. 1910, at 12:00 o'clock M, of that day, in front of the Court House door of the County of Los Angeles, Broadway entrance, sell at public auction, for lawful money of the United States, all the right, title, claim and interest of said defendant P. J. McNally of, in and to the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to raise sufficient to satisfy said Judgment, with interest and costs, etc., to the highest and best bidder.

Dated this 1st day of September, 1910.

W. A. HAMMEL,

Sheriff of Los Angeles County.

By E. W. Biscailuz, Deputy Sheriff.

P. J. Wood, Plaintiff's Attorney.

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ORDINANCE NO. 130.

An Ordinance of the Board of Trustees of the City of Sierra Madre, California, to Provide a Uniform System of House Numbering in Said City of Sierra Madre.

The Board of Trustees of the City of Sierra Madre do ordain as follows:

Section 1. That a uniform system of house numbering in said City of Sierra Madre be, and the same is hereby, established, such plan or system being as follows, to-wit:

The common point of beginning shall be at the intersection of Baldwin Avenue and Central Avenue in said city, the numbers commencing with number 1 and each twelve and one-half (12½) feet of frontage to have a number, the location of the front door of each house to bear the number of the said twelve and one-half (12½) feet frontage nearest to which said front door is located, the said system of numbering being more fully set forth in the Official House Numbering Map No. 2, heretofore adopted by said Board of Trustees and on file in the office of the City Clerk of said city, which said Official House Numbering Map No. 2 is hereby referred to and made a part of this Ordinance.

Section 2. The City Clerk is hereby instructed to furnish to all owners of houses in said city the proper number for each house, and shall issue a certificate signed by said City Clerk giving the proper number thereof, free of cost to such house owner, and said number, after such certificate is so issued, shall be the official number for such house.

Section 3. It shall be the duty of each house owner to place conspicuously the official number of the house owned by him in front of said house, the numbers to be at least three inches in height,

the said numbers to be so placed within 90 days from the date of the adoption of this Ordinance.

Section 4. Any person who fails to comply with the provisions of this Ordinance will be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be subject to a fine not to exceed \$10.00 for each offense, or by imprisonment for a period not to exceed ten days, or by both such fine and imprisonment; and it shall be deemed a separate offense in the event of a failure to comply with the terms of this Ordinance for each day after the expiration of said period of ninety days from the date of the adoption of this Ordinance, or after ten days' notice in writing by the City Marshal of said city to such house owner.

Section 5. The City Clerk shall certify to the adoption of this Ordinance and shall cause the same to be published once in the "Sierra Madre News," a weekly newspaper published and circulated in said City of Sierra Madre, and hereby designated for that purpose, and thereupon and thereafter the same shall take effect and be in force.

The foregoing Ordinance was adopted by the Board of Trustees of the City of Sierra Madre at a regular meeting of said Board of Trustees held on the 22nd day of September, A. D. 1910, by the affirmative vote of at least three members of said Board of Trustees, to-wit:

Ayes: Trustees Graham, Hosmer, Pegler, Steinberger and Jones.

Noes: None.

And signed and approved this 22nd day of September, A. D. 1910.

C. W. JONES,

President of the Board of Trustees.

Attest: PHILIP C. CARTER,

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NOTICE INVITING SEALED PROPOSALS

Pursuant to Statutes and to Ordinance No. 127 of the Board of Trustees of the City of Sierra Madre, adopted September 2, A. D. 1910, directing this notice, the undersigned will receive and invites, at his office in the City Hall of the City of Sierra Madre, up to 8 o'clock p. m. of the 29th day of September, A. D. 1910, sealed proposals or bids for the following street work, to-wit:

First: For the grading and oiling of Highland Avenue from the east property line of Baldwin Avenue on the west to the west property line of Mountain Trail Avenue on the east, including all intersections, (except such portions of said street and intersections as are required by law to be kept in order or repair by any person or company having railroad tracks thereon, and also except such portions of said street and intersections as have already been graded to the official line and grade, oiled and accepted by said city), in accordance with the plans and profiles for such work on file in the office of the City Engineer of said City, and city specifications for the grading and oiling of streets on file in the office of the City Clerk of said City, said specifications being numbered 10.

Second: For the construction of a cement curb along both sides of said Highland Avenue from the east curb line of Baldwin Avenue on the west to the west curb line of Mountain Trail Avenue on the east, (except along such portions of said street between said intersections where a cement curb has been constructed to the official line and grade and accepted by said City), in accordance with the plans and profiles for such work on file in the office of the City Engineer of said City, and city specifications for the construction of cement curbs on file in the office of the City Clerk of said City, said specifications being numbered 2.

Third: For the construction of a cement gutter three (3) feet in width along the northerly side of said Highland Avenue from the east curb line of Baldwin Avenue on the west to the west curb line of Mountain Trail Avenue on the east, (except along such portions of said northerly side of said street where a cement gutter three (3) feet in width has been constructed to the official line and grade and accepted by said City), in accordance with the plans and profiles for such work on file in the office of the City Engineer of said City, and city specifications for the construction of cement gutters on file in the office of the City Clerk of said City, said specifications being numbered 8.

Fourth: For the construction of a cement gutter two (2) feet in width along the southerly side of said Highland Avenue from the east curb line of Baldwin Avenue on the west to the west curb line of Mountain Trail Avenue on the east, (except along such portions of said southerly side of said street where a cement gutter two (2) feet in width has been constructed to the official line and grade and accepted by said City), in accordance with the plans and profiles for such work on file in the office of the City Engineer of said City, and City specifications for the construction of cement gutters on file in the office of the City Clerk of said City, said specifications being numbered 8.

Fifth: For the construction of a cement concrete culvert along said Highland Avenue between said termini where shown on the plans and profiles for such work on file in the office of the City Engineer of said City, and in accordance with the number of the plan designated thereon, and in accordance with city specifications for the construction of cement concrete culverts on file in the office of the City Clerk of said City, said specifications being numbered 9.

Notice is also given that said Ordinance provides as follows:

That the said Board of Trustees of the City of Sierra Madre finds, upon estimates of the City Engineer of said City, that the cost of said proposed work or improvement will be greater than fifty (50) cents per front foot along each line of the said street so proposed to be improved as hereinbefore set forth, including the cost of intersection work assessable upon said frontage and said Board of Trustees determines that serial bonds shall be issued to represent the cost of said work or improvement; said serial bonds shall extend over a period ending nine (9) years from and after the second day of January next succeeding the date of said bonds, and an even annual proportion of the principal sum thereof shall be payable by coupon on the second day of January every year after their date until the whole is paid; and the interest shall be payable semi-annually by coupon on the second days of January and July respectively of each year at the rate of seven per cent. (7%) per annum on all sums unpaid until the whole of said principal and interest are paid. Said bonds shall be issued in accordance with the provisions of an Act of the Legislature of the State of California, entitled "An Act to provide a system of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost of street work and improvement within municipalities, and also for the payment of such bonds," approved February 27, 1893, and of all acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

Bidders must file with each proposal or bid a check payable to the order of the President of the Board of Trustees, certified by a responsible bank, for an amount which shall not be less than ten per cent of the aggregate of the proposals, or bond for the said amount, and so payable, signed by the bidder and two sureties, who shall justify before any officer competent to administer an oath, in double the said amount, and over and above all statutory exemptions.

PHILIP C. CARTER,
City Clerk.

Sierra Madre, Cal., September 15, 1910.

NOTICE INVITING SEALED PROPOSALS

Pursuant to statutes and to Ordinance No. 128 of the Board of Trustees of the City of Sierra Madre, adopted September 2, A. D. 1910, directing this notice, the undersigned will receive and invites, at his office in the City Hall of the City of Sierra Madre, up to 8 o'clock p. m. of the 29th day of September, A. D. 1910, sealed proposals or bids for the following street work to be done in said City of Sierra Madre, to-wit:

First: For the grading and oiling of Carter Avenue from the center line of Baldwin Avenue on the east to the east property line of Auburn Avenue on the west, including all intersections, (except such portions of said street and intersections as are required by law to be kept in order or repair by any person or company having railroad tracks thereon, and also except such portions of said street and intersections as have already been graded to the official line and grade, oiled and accepted by said city), in accordance with the plans and profiles for such work on file in the office of the City Engineer of said City, and city specifications for the grading and oiling of streets on file in the office of the City Clerk of said City, said specifications being numbered 10.

Second: For the construction of a cement curb along both sides of said Carter Avenue from the west curb line of Baldwin Avenue on the east to the east property line of Auburn Avenue on the west, (except along such portions of said street between said termini where a cement curb has been constructed to the official

line and grade and accepted by said city), in accordance with the plans and profiles for such work on file in the office of the City Engineer of said City and city specifications for the construction of cement curbs on file in the office of the City Clerk of said City, said specifications being numbered 2.

Third: For the construction of a cement gutter three (3) feet in width along the northerly side of said Carter Avenue from the west curb line of Baldwin Avenue on the east to the east property line of Auburn Avenue on the west, (except along such portions of said northerly side of said street where a cement gutter three (3) feet in width has been constructed to the official line and grade and accepted by said city), in accordance with the plans and profiles for such work on file in the office of the City Engineer of said City and city specifications for the construction of cement gutters on file in the office of the City Clerk of said City, said specifications being numbered 8.

Fourth: For the construction of a cement gutter two (2) feet in width along the southerly side of said Carter Avenue from the west curb line of Baldwin Avenue on the east to the east property line of Auburn Avenue on the west, (except along such portions of said southerly side of said street where a cement gutter two (2) feet in width has been constructed to the official line and grade and accepted by said City), in accordance with the plans and profiles for such work on file in the office of the City Engineer of said City, and city specifications for the construction of cement gutters on file in the office of the City Clerk of said City, said specifications being numbered 8.

Fifth: For the construction of a cement concrete culvert along and across said Carter Avenue between said termini where shown on the plans and profiles for such work and in accordance with the number of the plan designated thereon and in accordance with city specifications for the construction of cement concrete culverts on file in the office of the City Clerk of said City, said specifications being numbered 9.

Notice is also given that said Ordinance provides as follows:

That the said Board of Trustees of the City of Sierra Madre finds, upon estimates of the City Engineer of said City that the cost of said proposed work or improvement will be greater than fifty (50) cents per front foot along each line of the said street so proposed to be improved as hereinbefore set forth, including the cost of intersection work assessable upon said frontage, and said Board of Trustees determines that serial bonds shall be issued to represent the cost of said work or improvement; said serial bonds shall extend over a period ending nine years from and after the second day of January next succeeding the date of said bonds, and an even annual proportion of the principal sum thereof shall be payable by coupon on the second day of January every year after their date until the whole is paid; and the interest shall be payable semi-annually by coupon on the second days of January and July, respectively, of each year at the rate of seven per cent per annum on all sums unpaid until the whole of said principal and interest are paid. Said bonds shall be issued in accordance with the provisions of an Act of the Legislature of the State of California, entitled "An Act to provide a system of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost of street work and improvement within municipalities, and also for the payment of such bonds," approved February 27, 1893, and of all acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

Bidders must file with each proposal

or bid a check payable to the order of the President of the Board of Trustees, certified by a responsible bank, for an amount which shall not be less than ten per cent of the aggregate of the proposals, or bond for the said amount, and so payable, signed by the bidder and two sureties, who shall justify before any officer competent to administer an oath, in double the said amount, and over and above all statutory exemptions.

PHILIP C. CARTER,
City Clerk.

Sierra Madre, Cal., September 15, 1910.

Mark Twain, in an after-dinner speech in Bermuda, once talked of gratitude. He didn't care much, he said, for gratitude of the noisy, boisterous kind. "Why," he exclaimed, "when some men discharge an obligation you can hear the report for miles around."—Exchange.

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NOTICE OF STREET WORK

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on the 2nd day of September, 1910, the Board of Trustees of the City of Sierra Madre adopted an Ordinance declaring its intention to improve Windsor Lane in said City of Sierra Madre in the manner following, to-wit:

First: That said Windsor Lane, from the north property line of Central Avenue on the south to the south curb line of Dixie Drive on the north, including all intersections, (except such portions of said street and intersections as are required by law to be kept in order or repair by any person or company having railroad tracks thereon, and also except such portions of said street and intersections as have already been graded to the official line and grade, oiled and accepted by said city) be graded and oiled in accordance with the plans and profiles for such work on file in the office of the City Engineer of said city, and city specifications for the grading and

oiling of streets on file in the office of the City Clerk of said City, said specifications being numbered 10.

Second: That a cement curb be constructed along both sides of said Windsor Lane from the north property line of Central Avenue on the south to the south curb line of Dixie Drive on the north (except along such portions of said street between said termini where a cement curb has been constructed to the official line and grade and accepted by said city), in accordance with the plans and profiles for such work on file in the office of the City Engineer of said City, and city specifications for the construction of cement curbs on file in the office of the City Clerk of said city, said specifications being numbered 2.

Third: That a cement gutter one (1) foot in width be constructed along both sides of said Windsor Lane from the north property line of Central Avenue on the south to the south curb line of Dixie Drive on the north (except along such portions of said street where a cement gutter one (1) foot in width has been constructed to the official line and grade and accepted by said city), in accordance with the plans and profiles for such work on file in the office of the City Engineer of said City, and city specifications for the construction of cement gutters on file in the office of the City Clerk of said City, said specifications being numbered 8.

Fourth: That cement swales be constructed along and across said Windsor Lane between said termini at such places and of such dimensions as are shown on the plans and profiles for such work on file in the office of the City Engineer of said City, and in accordance with city specifications No. 7 for the construction of cement swales on file in the office of the City Clerk of said City.

Notice is also given that said Ordinance provides as follows:

That the said Board of Trustees of the City of Sierra Madre finds, upon estimates of the City Engineer of said City, that the cost of said proposed work or improvement will be greater than fifty (50) cents per front foot along each line of the said street so proposed to be improved as hereinbefore set forth, including the cost of intersection work assessable upon said frontage, and said Board of Trustees determines that serial bonds shall be issued to represent the cost of said work or improvement; said serial bonds shall extend over a period ending nine years from and after the second day of January next succeeding the date of said bonds and an even annual proportion of the principal sum thereof shall be payable by coupon on the second day of January every year after their date until the whole is paid; and the interest shall be payable semi-annually by coupon on the second days of January and July respectively of each year at the rate of seven (7) per cent. per annum on all sums unpaid until the whole of said principal and interest are paid. Said bonds shall be issued in accordance with the provisions of an Act of the Legislature of the State of California, entitled "An Act to provide a system of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost of street work and improvement within municipalities and also for the payment of such bonds," approved February 27, 1893, and of all acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

And which said Ordinance is known and designated as Ordinance No. 129 of Ordinances of said City, to which said Ordinance reference is made for further particulars.

GEORGE C. RAY,
Superintendent of Streets for the City of Sierra Madre.
Sierra Madre, Cal., September 15, 1910.

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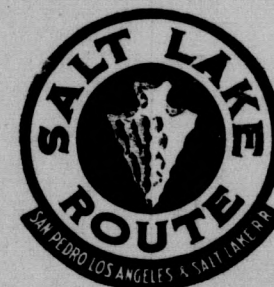
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Treasurer, F. C. Lehmer; Clerk, Philip C. Carter; Marshal and Street Superintendent, G. C. Ray; Recorder, C. H. Perry; Attorney, J. A. Madden; Engineer, W. F. Bixby; Chairman Board of Health, Dr. R. H. Mackerras.

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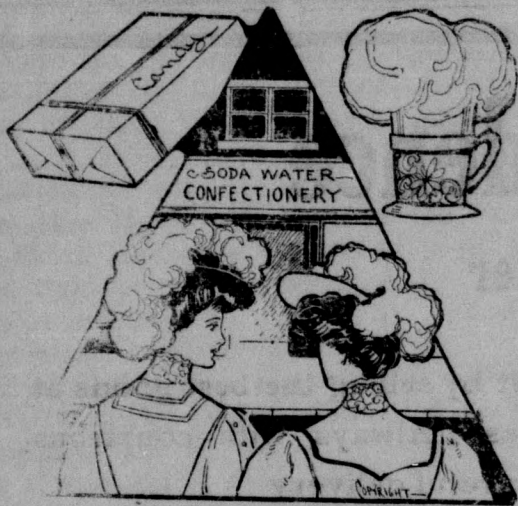
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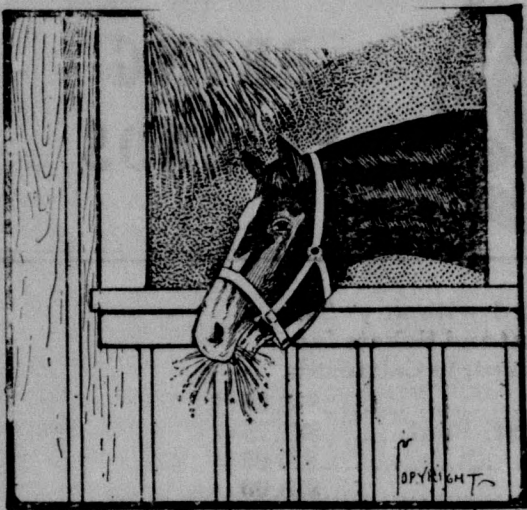
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NOTICE INVITING SEALED PROPOSALS.

Pursuant to statutes and to Ordinance No. 126 of the Board of Trustees of the City of Sierra Madre, adopted September 2, A. D. 1910, directing this notice, the undersigned will receive, and invites, at his office in the City Hall in the city of Sierra Madre, up to 8 o'clock p. m. of the 29th day of September, 1910, sealed proposals or bids for the following street work to be done in said city of Sierra Madre, to-wit:

First: For the grading and oiling of Hermosa Avenue, from the north property line of Highland Avenue on the south to the south property line of Grand View Avenue on the north, including all intersections (except such portions of said street and intersections as are required by law to be kept in order or repair by any person or company having railroad tracks thereon, and also except such portions of said street and intersections as have already been graded to the official line and grade, oiled and accepted by said city), in accordance with the plans and profiles for such work on file in the office of the City Engineer of said city, and city specifications for the grading and oiling of streets on file in the office of the City Clerk of said City, said specifications being numbered 10.

Second: For the construction of a cement curb along both sides of said Hermosa Avenue from the north property line of Highland Avenue on the south to the south property line of Grand View Avenue on the north (except along such portions of said street between said termini where a cement curb has been constructed to the official line and grade and accepted by said city), in accordance with the plans and profiles for such work on file in the office of the City Engineer of said City, and city specifications for the construction of cement curbs on file in the office of the City Clerk of said City, said specifications being numbered 2.

Third: For the construction of a cement concrete culvert along and across said Hermosa Ave. between said termini where shown on the plans and profiles for such work and in accordance with the number of the plan designated thereon and in accordance with city specifications for the construction of cement concrete culverts on file in the office of the City Clerk of said City, said specifications being numbered 9.

Notice is also given that said Ordinance provides as follows:

That the said Board of Trustees of the City of Sierra Madre finds, upon estimates of the City Engineer of said City, that the cost of said proposed work or improvement will be greater than fifty cents (50c) per front foot along each line of said street so proposed to be improved as hereinbefore set forth, including the cost of intersection work assessable upon said frontage, and said Board of Trustees determines that serial bonds shall be issued to represent the cost of said work or improvement; said serial bonds shall extend over a period ending nine years from and after the second day of January next succeeding the date of said bonds, and an even annual proportion of the principal sum thereof shall be payable by coupon on the second day of January every year after their date until the whole is paid; and the interest shall be payable semi-annually by coupon on the second days of January and July respectively of each year at the rate of seven per cent per annum on all sums unpaid until the whole of said principal and interest are paid. Said bonds shall be issued in accordance with the provisions of an Act of the Legislature of the State of California, entitled "An Act to provide a system of street improvement bonds to represent certain as-

sessments for the cost of street work and improvement within municipalities and also for the payment of such bonds," approved February 27, 1893, and of all acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

Bidders must file with each proposal or bid a check payable to the order of the President of the Board of Trustees, certified by a responsible bank, for an amount which shall not be less than ten per cent of the aggregate of the proposals, or bond for the said amount, and so payable, signed by the bidder and two sureties, who shall justify before any officer competent to administer an oath, in double the said amount, and over and above all statutory exemptions.

PHILIP C. CARTER,
 City Clerk.

Sierra Madre, Cal., September 15, 1910.

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